

application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows, substituting any amended claim(s) for the corresponding pending claim(s):

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1 5. (unchanged) The message distribution system set forth in Claim 1, wherein said first I/O
2 interface is capable of receiving a wireless message directed to said subscriber, said message
3 distribution system further comprising a second I/O interface capable of sending said received
4 wireless message to an RF transceiver facility operable to transmit said received wireless message
5 to a paging device of said subscriber.

1 6. (unchanged) The message distribution system set forth in Claim 5, further comprising an
2 incoming wireless message controller capable of determining an identity of said subscriber from
3 identification data contained in said received wireless message, wherein said message distribution
4 system requires said subscriber to enter a password prior to transferring said selected review
5 information relating to said at least one stored wireless message to said subscriber.

1 7. (unchanged) The message distribution system set forth in Claim 5 wherein said message
2 distribution system is capable of receiving from said RF transceiver facility a response message
3 responsive to a transmission of said received wireless message to said paging device, wherein said
4 response message is stored within said data record in association with said received wireless
5 message.

1 8. (unchanged) The message distribution system set forth in Claim 5 wherein, when said
2 wireless message received through said first I/O interface has not yet been successfully delivered to
3 said paging device via said RF transceiver facility and said selected review information relating to
4 said received wireless message is transmitted to said subscriber in response to said message retrieval
5 request, said subscriber may selectively cancel any subsequent attempt to deliver said received
6 wireless message said RF transceiver facility.

1 9. (unchanged) The message distribution system set forth in Claim 1 wherein said message
2 retrieval request is received from
3 a public telephone system, or
4 a data processing system coupled to a wide area data network.

1 11. (unchanged) The wireless messaging system set forth in Claim 10 wherein said message
2 distribution system initially transfers only said selected review information relating to said one or
3 more selected stored messages within said data record to said subscriber in response to said message
4 retrieval request and wherein said database contains wireless messages directed to said subscriber
5 regardless of whether said wireless messages have been delivered to said subscriber.

1 12. (unchanged) The wireless messaging system set forth in Claim 11 wherein said message
2 distribution system transfers all of a selected stored message to said subscriber in response to
3 receiving a complete message request from said subscriber requesting all of said selected stored
4 message.

1 13. (unchanged) The wireless messaging system set forth in Claim 10, wherein said first I/O
2 interface is capable of receiving a wireless message directed to said subscriber, said message
3 distribution system further comprising a second I/O interface capable of sending said received
4 wireless message to an RF transceiver facility operable to transmit said received wireless message
5 to a paging device of said subscriber.

1 14. (unchanged) The wireless messaging system set forth in Claim 13 further comprising an
2 incoming wireless message controller capable of determining an identity of said subscriber from
3 identification data contained in said received wireless message, wherein said message distribution
4 system requires said subscriber to enter a password prior to transferring said one or more selected
5 portions of said at least one stored wireless message to said subscriber.

1 15. (unchanged) The wireless messaging system set forth in Claim 13 wherein said message
2 distribution system is capable of receiving from said RF transceiver facility a response message
3 responsive to a transmission of said received wireless message to said paging device, wherein said
4 response message is stored within said data record associated with said subscriber in association with
5 said received wireless message.

1 16. (unchanged) The wireless messaging system set forth in Claim 13, wherein, when said
2 wireless message received through said first I/O interface has not yet been successfully delivered to
3 said paging device via said RF transceiver facility and said selected review information relating to
4 said received wireless message is transmitted to said subscriber in response to said message retrieval
5 request, said subscriber may selectively cancel any subsequent attempt to deliver said received
6 wireless message via said RF transceiver facility.

1 19. (unchanged) The method set forth in Claim 18, wherein the step of transferring selected
2 review information relating to at least one of the stored wireless messages to the subscriber further
3 comprises:

4 transferring only selected fields from one or more stored wireless messages to the
5 subscriber in response to receiving the message retrieval request, wherein the selected fields form
6 the selected review information relating to the one or more stored wireless messages.

1 20. (unchanged) The method set forth in Claim 19, further comprising:
2 receiving from the subscriber a complete message retrieval request for all of a selected
3 stored wireless message; and
4 in response thereto, transferring to the subscriber all of the selected stored wireless
5 message.

Please add the following new claim(s):